

PATENT
Docket No. 14374.34

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
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	Artig et al.)
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Serial No.:	09/694,568) Art Unit
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Filed:	October 23, 2000)
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For:	X-RAY TUBE AND METHOD OF)
	MANUFACTURE)
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Examiner:	Drew A. Dunn)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Preliminary Amendment in response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed November 6, 2002. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.